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In Re Application of:

GRANOFF, et al.

Serial No.: 09/701,453

Art Unit: 1645

Filing Date: April 16, 2001

Examiner: FIELDS, I.

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AMENDMENT.

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action in the above-referenced application, mailed August 28, 2001. As the response is being filed before the due date of November 28, 2001, no fees are believed due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 18-1648 any other fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required by this paper, with the exception of the payment of the Issue Fee. Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

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